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Iranian Oil Chief Demands Support From Khomeini

By Sajid Rizvi
TEHRAN, Sept. 24 (UPI) — The chief of Iran's state-owned oil company threatened today to resign unless he is given a guarantee of support from Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini in his management of the oil industry.

"I have not resigned," Hassan Nazih, chairman and managing director of the National Iranian Oil Co. said. "But I cannot continue unless I get a clear-cut guarantee of support."

Mr. Nazih's threat followed a state radio broadcast which quoted Ayatollah Khomeini's son-in-law and oil troubleshooter as saying Mr. Nazih did not enjoy confidence of the 79-year-old Islamic leader.

The radio announcement contrasted with Premier Mehdi Bazargan's assertion on Saturday that Ayatollah Khomeini had told him that Mr. Nazih could stay.

The controversy erupted amid speculation that Mr. Nazih, a critic

of the Islamic clergy, might be replaced in his post by a religious leader as part of the Islamic regime's efforts to purge leftist and secular employees from the oil industry, the chief source of Iran's foreign revenue.

Mr. Nazih, 58, was a human rights activist before the shah was overthrown in February. He is president of Iran's bar association, a key secular pressure group.

Mr. Nazih said that oil company employees at the company's central building had gone on strike demanding that he remain on his post.

"But I have repeatedly requested NIOC employees not to strike. I am opposed to strikes and I hope they will not go on strike," Mr. Nazih said.

Hojjatolislam Shahabuddin Eshraqi, Ayatollah Khomeini's son-in-law and special investigator for the oil industry, told the state radio today that Ayatollah Khomeini "has confidence in Bazargan but not in Hassan Nazih."

But Mr. Bazargan, in remarks that were published today, said that Ayatollah Khomeini had told him, "Nazih can stay in his job. I have confidence in him and you."

It is not clear what effect the controversy will have on production of crude oil. Production is averaging 3.5 million barrels a day, oil officials said last week. But an average figure for offshore oilfields has not been mentioned for several weeks.

In Tehran today, a firing squad executed three of the shah's former senators, one of them the former ruler's doctor.

Markets Settle After Mark Is Revalued

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Dutch guilders, the Italian lira and the Irish pound, Britain, although a member of the Common Market, has not fully joined the European Monetary System, and the British pound floats freely against the mark and other currencies of the monetary system.

A week ago, finance ministers of the Common Market completed a review of the system's first six months of operation by declaring that its existing exchange rates were realistic and did not need adjustment.

The dollar, under heavy pressure late last week, made a modest recovery of about one-fifth of a cent in London against the mark as some operators unwound positions

built up ahead of what had been regarded as the inevitable revaluation.

"Everybody had been waiting for it," said one trader here. "It's just a question of whether you got your sums right and whether you picked the right weekend."

For weeks the mark had been straining against its permitted European Monetary System ceiling before heavy dollar sales tumbled the American currency below the psychologically important 1.80 (55 1/2 cent) level in close Friday at 1.7645 (56 2/3 cent). Today's close was 60 points higher at 1.7705 marks to the dollar.

The dominant opinion, however, was that it was just a matter of time before the dollar would be sliding again against many currencies, per-

haps forcing another series of moves to support it. "Market sentiment, frankly, is not in favor of the dollar," said one merchant banker.

"The revaluation stabilized things temporarily but how long it's going to last I don't know."

With the United States headed into what may be a severe recession, there is hope that the dollar may bounce back next year as the balance of payments moves toward equilibrium.

Today, however, dealers were awaiting several U.S. economic statistics to be published during the next week — consumer prices, trade, producer prices and leading indicators — without much optimism.

They also said that most positions in the market were being retained in the expectation that it would start climbing again in the absence of central bank selling to restrain it. Two percent was not much of a revaluation in a period of unsettled markets, they said.

Bankers, some of whom had thought that the heavy dollar sales last week caught the Federal Reserve by surprise, seemed today to have concluded instead that there was a conscious decision not to fight them.

Gold, meanwhile, rebounded from profit-taking on Friday and slipped to \$380.40 an ounce at one point before closing at \$378.75, up \$9.25.

In recent weeks, speculators have been moving funds out of dollars and into marks, betting on a mark revaluation. This has encouraged the Federal Reserve to increase U.S. interest rates to stem the currency outflow.

Although the high U.S. inflation rate is the main reason for the recent rapid rise in interest rates, the speculative outflow of dollars into the mark has been an additional factor in the Federal Reserve's calculations, officials here say.

Paisley Prods Pope: Excommunicate IRA

MILAN, Sept. 24 (UPI) — Protestant extremist leader the Rev. Ian Paisley has told a leading Italian newspaper that Pope John Paul II must excommunicate Irish Republican Army militants before he can be welcomed in Northern Ireland.

"We don't want the pope in our Ulster. It was the Dubliners who invited him," Mr. Paisley is quoted as saying in a long interview scheduled for publication in Sunday's editions of Milan's *Corriere della Sera*. "If the pope wants to show goodwill to resolve the problems that torment Northern Ireland, he must first use the weapon of excommunication against the militants in the IRA. Something he will probably never do." The pope flies to Ireland Saturday.

Rhodesia Guerrillas Agree To Weighted White Ballot

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als that sharply reduced the ability of the 230,000 whites to control the government.

Looming in the next two weeks are rights efforts in the U.S. Congress and at the British Conservative Party conference to try to lift economic sanctions against Bishop Muzorewa's government. The front could hardly afford to remain intransigent over the constitution with Bishop Muzorewa demanding to know what more the world wanted of him after agreeing to the reduction in white rights.

The two moves mean that for the first time in the conference, which entered its third week today, both sides have shifted toward the mid-

die ground stance held by the British and away from long deadlocked constitutional positions.

British spokesman Nicholas Fenn said that his government welcomes the Patriotic Front move and described it as significant progress.

A British source predicted that it would be possible to obtain agreement on the overall conference by the time the Conservative conference starts Oct. 9. The source warily estimated that, at the current pace, perhaps the halfway point of the conference had been reached. Britain has set no deadlines but its Parliament faces one of its own Nov. 15 when it must decide whether to renew sanctions.

No Illusions
The negotiations "are definitely on the upswing," the source said. Lacing his remarks with a caution developed over countless past failures on the issue, he added: "We are beginning to establish the sort of momentum that can lead up to significant developments."

However, he continued, "No one is under any illusions. The transitional arrangements will be the most difficult part of the conference."

What the Patriotic Front did today was to present a complex amendment, with two alternatives, to proposals for the legislature in its draft constitution. Both alternatives call for 96 black and 24 white seats, unlike its original draft which did not allocate seats on the basis of race.

In its preferred alternative, all eligible voters would vote for the black seats and blacks would join with whites in voting for nine of the 24 white seats. In the other alternative, there would be separate white and black rolls to elect members of the two races.

2 Soviet Skaters Ask Swiss for Political Asylum

BERN, Sept. 24 (UPI) — Former Soviet Olympic and world champion ice skaters Oleg Protopopov and Ludmila Belousova have asked for political asylum in Switzerland, the Swiss Justice Ministry announced today.

Ministry spokesman Ulrich Hubacher said the skaters, Olympic gold medal winners in 1964 and 1968, requested asylum last week. "This request is now under consideration by the government," Mr. Hubacher said. Government sources said it is likely the asylum request will be granted.

Officials said the two skaters are in hiding pending a decision on their asylum request.

Mr. Protopopov and Miss Belousova had been on a tour of Europe with their own ice show.

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Bonn Sets Arms Funds

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crease, including 2,500 missiles with a range of more than 2,000 yards. 350 U.S.-made anti-tank weapons with a range of more than 3,000 yards and 500 with range of more than 4,000 yards, some of which will be mounted on 200 new helicopters.

Mr. Schnell commented that when the program was completed West Germany would have 100,000 anti-tank missiles.

The Defense Ministry is also planning an additional 400 armored fighting vehicles to support the tanks.

Anti-aircraft protection for the ground forces will be supplied by 400 fighting vehicles, each armed with two guns, and 400 anti-aircraft launchers will be added to the arsenal. Improved U.S. surface-to-surface missiles will be installed, as will a new 155-mm howitzer, the product of West German, British and Italian research and development.

Two hundred and ten Tornado planes, the principal new weapons system for the air force, will be deployed early in the next decade. The Tornado, also the result of West German-British-Italian cooperation, will replace the U.S. F-104, enhancing the air force's effectiveness against ground targets. Another aircraft to be deployed early in the next decade is the Alpha, which will replace the Fiat G-91.

The navy must defend the Baltic coast and the North Sea maritime routes, which carry two-thirds of vital West German imports. Procurement has been accelerated as the Soviet squadrons in the Baltic have shown increasing boldness. In addition, the three services have combined to improve the Baltic fortifications.

U.K. Official to Visit 3 Nations in Mideast

LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuters) — Britain's Conservative government is sending a minister of state to visit Syria, Lebanon and Jordan next month, the Foreign Office said today.

Douglas Hurd will be the first Conservative minister to visit the three countries since the government came to power last May.



Workers lower a metal bell into the Bay of Campeche, Ciudad del Carmen, Mexico, in operation, called Proje Sombbrero, to cap oil well. About 34 million gallons of oil have spilled into the bay since the well's blowout in June.

Mexico Hopes 125-Ton Steel Cone Will Succeed in Capping Oil Well

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 24 (AP) — Mexican oil workers hope to finish capping the huge oil well today after lowering a 125-ton steel cone into place over the gusher that has fouled Gulf Coast beaches from Mexico to southern Texas.

The operation, aimed at reducing the flow of oil and natural gas by 85 percent, was halted by darkness yesterday. A team of 3 technicians, divers and engineers from the Mexican state oil monopoly Pemex had worked for a dozen hours yesterday to lower the 3 foot-by-69-foot cone onto the underwater superstructure over the well.

"The cone is in place on the structure and [today] we will rotate 90 degrees to put it over the mouth of the well," said Jose Garcia Luna, a Pemex engineer. A company spokesman said the tea had to be completed by the end of the day.

"The purpose of the cone is not to plug the well, but to turn it in a producing well" until it can be closed, said a Pemex spokesman. Mexico City. "Fifteen percent will still possibly spill into the ocean and have to be collected."

Unesco's Director Seen At Heart of Controversy

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gram preserves natural sites with scientifically valuable ecosystems.

Unesco has received high praise for its scientific activities — intergovernmental work in fields like oceanography, international centers

assembling researchers and teachers in subjects from theoretical physics or microbiology to muscological training. Unesco publishes books, runs networks to exchange sociological and scientific data, organizes international agreements on matters like copyright protection or diploma recognition.

But these are well-established programs, and many observers worry about where the organization is going. Prof. Richard Hoggart, a British author, who resigned as an assistant director general in 1975, was blunt in his recent book on Unesco. "It is a sick organization," he said. "Unesco's intellectual force has dropped in the 1970s, exposing the organization to the temptation of playing politics to cover its intellectual inadequacy."

Unesco's 146 member states devoted most of their last meeting to a special agenda on the new international economic order, the arms race, racism, colonialism and human rights and peace. "Peace is the word that generates the most humming in Unesco," Prof. Hoggart said.

Among recent political issues, the most explosive was Unesco's bid for a controversial charter to regularize the mass media.

This politicization — at the expense of tangible work in education, science or culture — has alienated many Western universities, research institutes and professional associations, Prof. Hoggart said.

Let of Control

Mr. M'Bow said that a majority of Unesco's member states want these debates and he is simply following their guidance. But Unesco insiders say that he has a lot of control over Unesco's meetings where the secretariat heavily influences the organization's agenda and resolutions.

Under Mr. M'Bow's leadership, the most visible result of five years of reforms is a trend to replace Western staff members with officials from developing countries. Mr. M'Bow said that Unesco's new role requires this shift.

But many Unesco veterans find it unrealistic and complain that they must accept staff people of inadequate ability from developing countries. Mr. M'Bow aides say that much Third World recruitment is for low-ranking posts, but diplomats worry about the erosion of Western influence in policy-making positions. In mid-1977, U.S. citizens held only 7 out of 71 managerial posts at Unesco; today, Americans fill even fewer: 6 out of 82 policy-making posts.

Widely Respected

Despite doubts about some of his policies, Mr. M'Bow is widely respected. He is an effective diplomat and personally led the way out of the impasse pitting Unesco against Israel (and the United States), U.S. diplomats say, after the organization voted sanctions against Israel in 1974.

By convincing African member states not to align themselves with the Arab countries on the issue, he put together the so-called Nairobi compromise, restoring Israel's full-fledged membership in 1976.

Often, he undertakes unpublishing personal diplomacy — notably on human rights cases. Mr. M'Bow's discreet personal intervention has saved the lives of 75 intellectuals, according to a secret list seen by top Unesco officials. But

aides refused to divulge case cause Mr. M'Bow feels discreet essential.

Although Mr. M'Bow travels official business more than half time, he reportedly refuses to gate authority.

As a result, Unesco has management problems which, officials worry, its main contributors, U.S. Congress' investigative committee this month that Unesco, been the leader among UN age in adopting good theories of management. But in practice, the report chided Unesco for failing to adopt well-defined objectives and in some cases knowingly duplicating other UN programs.

Despite economy claims, GAO said, Unesco has the U.N.'s fastest growing budget: 7 percent in real terms — and spending a growing part of it on overheads.

Unesco overspent by near million last year because the office removed a computer control — designed to prevent budget overruns — in order to limit further spending, according to the latest external audit. The expenditure which cannot be seen will have to come out of next budget, the auditor said.

Indirectly admitting that Unesco's 1983 will be a year of no growth while Unesco reflects methods.

Governments are supposed oversee Unesco, but Western governments have neglected this, ing the director-general alone seat of effective power, officials said.

A European ambassador planned his problems: "I feel schizophrenic position. If I feel director-general, that one of suggestions or reports is junk, he gets furious and I can't even an appointment to see him; for weeks. Meanwhile, my mind wants me to get a Unesco job for his nephew, or a Unesco me for a city who mayor is a key player in the government coalition a Unesco grant to help restore president's pet monument."

His dilemma is clear. "If I'm soon non grata with Mr. M'Bow can't do the job, which my government really expects of me."

The U.S. performance has particularly dismal, diplomats say. The GAO reported that U.S. gations are packed with politicians who damage U.S. prestige. Prof. Hoggart said that former U.S. ambassador Richard Nixon appointed successive U.S. representatives to Unesco's board of directors were "no ill-equipped that one could only ascribe their nomination gross ignorance or contempt Unesco's purposes."

The Carter administration trying to improve the quality U.S. participation in Unesco. U.S. mission to Unesco has been led by the new ambassador former president of Wellesley College — Barbara Newell.

The thrust of the revised U.S. interest is to try to improve the organization's product so that benefit states will call the politics to test that quality.

For the moment, it is a true meeting of minds. According M'Bow aide. "The organization too big to keep out politics. United States still has not left to play the game."

The United States might not off aid entirely again, diplomat say, because that gesture isolate But the trend of U.S. aid depends directly on Unesco's next steps. Jomart says: In a sense, Unesco still on trial.

Next: Unesco's media controversy

Link to IRA Military Wing

Irish-American Aid Unit Is Again Under Scrutiny

By Linda Charlton

NEW YORK, Sept. 24 (NYT) — A warm Sunday afternoon in September, a bar on Manhattan's First Avenue. About 50 people are gathered in a back room, having paid \$7.50 each for an "Irish brunch," with the proceeds going into cigar boxes tended by a trio of matrons whose lifting speech displays their Irish origins.

It was a fund-raising event for a U.S.-based association called the Irish Northern Aid Committee, familiarly known as Noraid.

Besides sausage and eggs, there were singers of Irish ballads, old and new, sentimental and martial. There was a speech by a woman who urged her listeners to remember that "Ireland is in a state of war."

There were cheers and applause and a raffle whose prizes included plaques that were said to be the handiwork of former prisoners of the British.

The scene was one that has been repeated, with minor variations, at similar gatherings around the city and the United States in the last 10 years.

Shock Waves

The recent murder of Lord Mountbatten by the Provisional wing of the Irish Republican Army generated shock waves of publicity that focused interest once again on Noraid, a group described by U.S. and Irish officials as the IRA's best-organized and most fervent ally in the United States. These officials regard Noraid as the terrorist group's channel to American funds and money.

The money collected at the Manhattan bar was later stuffed into white envelopes. From there, it would go to the Bronx, to Noraid's national headquarters, for transfer to Belfast, to an Irish Northern Aid office there. Specifically, it would go to a man named Joe Cahill, who is well known as a leader of the IRA's Provisional wing. Cahill has been convicted for the murder of a Belfast police officer and for gun-running.

Noraid, now 10 years old, has never made any secret of its sympathies: It supports the IRA's Provisional wing. Indeed, in a 1973 advertisement, Noraid proclaimed itself to be "the only organization in America" that did so. It is the form of that support that has been in increasingly sharp dispute in the last few years.

Noraid states that its only aim is to provide financial assistance to the dependents of imprisoned Provisionals. Earlier, in 1973, when some believe the climate of opinion was more tolerant of violence, Noraid claimed that it gave financial assistance to "local defense committees who maintain defense patrols that protect innocent people from the violence of British imperialism."

There have long been suspicions, voiced with growing conviction and frequency, that Noraid's support for the IRA takes other forms. That its goal of supporting prisoners' families does indirectly bolster the IRA's military capability was acknowledged by 77-year-old Michael Flannery, one of Noraid's founders, when he said: "An IRA soldier freed from financial worries for his family is a better fighter."

But Noraid has been castigated publicly for playing a more direct role in the violence, most recently by Premier John Lynch of Ireland, who said: "If those who contribute believe that their money goes to

support widows and orphans, let me make it clear that it goes to make widows and orphans."

A permit is required for the purchase of guns in New York State, so most of the guns shipped out of New York illicitly are purchased by IRA operatives or sympathizers out of state, particularly in the Middle West. There is believed to be a single "consolidator," an Irishman who travels under an alias, who makes the rounds every two weeks or so to collect guns from their purchasers.

Between 1973 and 1975, 12 cases of gunrunning were prosecuted by the federal government. The last major prosecution was in 1977, in Philadelphia.

The bulk of the IRA's military supplies, a source said, is purchased outside the United States, but often with American money raised by Noraid. "Noraid here in the United States does all the fund-raising for the IRA," the source said.

And money is far more convenient to transfer across the Atlantic than guns and explosives. Much of it, the source said, is sent via bank-to-bank transfer; for amounts under \$10,000, banks are not required to report transactions.

Of the approximately 10,000 weapons seized in Northern Ireland since the sustained violence began in the early 1970s, about 2,300 were said to be of U.S. manufacture.

In the Philadelphia case, Daniel Cahalane and Neil Byrne, both officers of Noraid, were convicted of conspiracy and of aiding and abetting the illegal exportation of arms to Northern Ireland. Some 360 weapons, including Armalite semiautomatic rifles, and about 100,000 rounds of armor-piercing ammunition were said to have been involved.

In the 1977 ruling of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit affirming the convictions, Noraid was said to be "the center" of the IRA's "armament-purchase and transportation efforts."

"That's not true," said a Noraid spokesman, Martin Galvin, in a recent interview. "If some people, in addition to giving money for the families of Irish political prisoners, do things that are not consistent with the role and function of Irish Northern Aid and are prosecuted for that, I don't see why that should in any way impugn the people who are strictly working for the families of Irish political prisoners."

Mr. Galvin, 29, is an assistant district attorney in the Bronx. He said he saw no conflict "between supporting the genuine struggle for freedom in Ireland, where the law is used as a tool of British colonialism," and being a prosecutor charged with upholding the law in the United States.

U.S. Navy Sights 2 Refugee Boats

MANILA, Sept. 24 (UPI) — A U.S. Navy plane sighted two Vietnamese refugee boats in the South China Sea today and directed a merchant ship in rescuing one of them, bringing to 40 the number of such boats sighted by the Navy.

A Navy spokesman said the first boat was sighted about 200 nautical miles southeast of Ho Chi Minh City with about eight persons aboard.

The spokesman said the same plane sighted a 25-foot refugee boat about 20 nautical miles from the first.



spreads across area of downtown New York Sunday during rally sponsored by Musicians United for Safe Energy.

90,000 Attend Anti-Nuclear Energy Demonstration in New York

NEW YORK, Sept. 24 (NYT) — Nearly 200,000 people gathered peacefully on the sands of Battery Park landfill yesterday for the largest U.S. anti-nuclear rally to date.

The rally was one of about a dozen against nuclear power held in the United States. In Vermont, more than 130 demonstrators blocked the main gate of the Vermont Yankee nuclear plant during an attempt to disrupt the plant's annual refueling. An undetermined number of protesters were arrested on unspecified charges.

The New York crowd, dominated by young people, was drawn to the downtown site by a roster of famous speakers, including Jane Fonda, Tom Hayden and Ralph Nader, and by a program of rock music.

The rally culminated a week of benefit concerts here, organized by the Musicians United for Safe Energy, a nonprofit foundation. "Two hundred thousand people, determined, alone can stop the nuclear industry," Mr. Nader said to the crowd. "Stopping atomic energy is practicing patriotism: stopping atomic energy is fighting cancer; stopping atomic energy is fighting inflation."

Kissinger's Memoirs Begin With Nixon's First 4 Years

Bernard Gwertzman

INGTON, Sept. 24 (NYT) — First excerpts from Henry Kissinger's memoirs were published today, and although they contain candid revelations, they do not contain impressions of President Richard Nixon and Soviet leaders, the magazine, which has been North American rights magazine, "Kissinger: The Years," in advance of its publication, issued a press release yesterday.

that, it says, summarizes the initial installment.

The period covered by this book ends with Mr. Nixon's first term in office, when Mr. Kissinger was still Mr. Nixon's national security adviser; in what amounted to competition with the secretary of state, William Rogers. Mr. Kissinger became secretary of state in September, 1973.

Time's excerpts underscore Mr. Kissinger's well-known affection for Chinese leaders, with whom he secretly arranged the Nixon administration's opening to China in 1971-72, his distrust of the Russians, with whom he helped engineer the policy of détente, and his ambivalence toward Mr. Nixon, who allowed him to become the administration's chief architect of foreign policy, but with whom he was never very comfortable.

Of Mr. Nixon, Mr. Kissinger writes that "nothing is more askew than the popular image of Nixon as imperial president barking orders at cowed subordinates." "Nixon hated to give direct orders," Mr. Kissinger wrote, "especially to those who might disagree with him. He rarely disciplined anybody; he would never face down a Cabinet member. When he met in subordination, he sought to accomplish his objective without the offender's being aware of it."

Administration for Chinese This produced "a fragmented administration in which under pressure almost every member looked out for himself," Mr. Kissinger said. "In the sense of isolation this produced in Mr. Nixon, and the lack of cohesion among his team, lay one of the root causes of Watergate."

Mr. Kissinger's admiration for Mao and Chou En-lai is well known and the excerpts underscore it.

"I have met no one, with the possible exception of Charles de Gaulle, who so distilled raw, concentrated will-power," Mr. Kissinger said of Mao. "He dominated the room, not by the pomp that in most states confers a degree of majesty on leaders, but by exuding in almost tangible form, the overwhelming drive to prevail."

Mr. Kissinger said that Chou was "one of the two or three most impressive men I have ever met."

Mr. Kissinger, in office, always compared Leonid Brezhnev, the Soviet leader, unfavorably with the Chinese, and the excerpts are consistent with that view.

Of Mr. Brezhnev, Mr. Kissinger writes: "While his remarks were being translated he would restlessly bound up, walk around, engage in loud conversations with his colleagues or even leave the room without explanation and return."

"Negotiations with Brezhnev thus included the bizarre feature that he might disappear at any moment, or while you were being most persuasive, he could be concentrating not on your remarks but on forcing food on you," Mr. Kissinger said.

Cash With Kremlin

The Nixon administration always regarded the behind-the-scenes solution of the "crisis" over a possible Soviet submarine base near Cienfuegos, Cuba, as a major accomplishment. Mr. Nixon, in his own memoirs published last year, went into it in detail and the Mr. Kissinger excerpts provide little additional information.

In the fall of 1970, the United States detected construction of a site on the Cuban coast to service nuclear submarines. This was regarded as a violation of the 1962 agreement against placing offensive weapons in Cuba.

After secret talks, and some leaks

Nuclear Blast Detected

HAGFORS, Sweden, Sept. 24 (UPI) — The Hagfors Observatory reported today it had recorded seismic signals that registered 6.5 on the Richter scale. The observatory said that it presumed the signals were from a nuclear explosion on the island of Novaya Zemla, northwestern Soviet Union.

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KOK, Sept. 24 (UPI) — has stepped up its military Cambodia and diplomats here said today that it that a major offensive against Khmer Rouge he heaviest fighting, the said, was in easternmost Cham province next to and in northern Kompong province, 136 kilometers from Penh.

Officials said they fear both of fighting into Thailand influx of hungry Cambodians fleeing across the also expanded its diplomatic. The Communist newspaper Nhan Dan criticized United Nations last week to seat the Pol. Vietnam's client rebarred from the United. The recent vote on Cambodia presentation was another action" by the UN. Nhan



Gaebel: Picture of Bavarian shooting range (original at City-Museum)

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Loss of Enthusiasm for Curbs Seen

Carter Order Stirs Arms-Policy Doubts

By Richard Burr

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (NYT) — A White House directive on how to handle future negotiations with Moscow has led administration arms control experts to question whether the president is reducing his commitment to seek further constraints on Soviet and U.S. military forces.

The administration is caught up in a tough fight in the Senate over the new strategic arms limitation treaty and, in an effort to gain approval for the accord, Mr. Carter has promised to seek more far-reaching limits on nuclear forces during the next round of negotiations. However, officials report signs that the administration has lost much of its earlier enthusiasm.

One sign, according to officials, is a presidential directive circulated at high levels of the government earlier this month. The officials said the two-page memorandum, which was drafted by White House aides, stated that the United States should not enter into new negotiations until it was thoroughly satisfied that the talks would not harm existing military programs.

According to the officials, the directive requires that any new arms control proposal must conform to three criteria. It must be compatible with existing "defense and force posture goals," serve the foreign policy interests of Western countries while "restraining adversaries" and show that it would "limit arms competition and the likelihood of conflict."

Interpreting Decision

Several officials in the State Department and in the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency said the effect of the order, known as Presidential Decision 50, would be to deemphasize the role of arms negotiations in foreign policy.

The directive, they said, was prepared in such secrecy that George Seignious 3d, the director of the Arms Control and Disarmament

Agency, was not informed of its existence until an hour before it reached his desk. Normally, presidential directives dealing with foreign and military policy are preceded by debates in which different agencies are given an opportunity to register their views.

While Mr. Seignious evidently was not involved in preparing the directive, White House officials said that, in general, he supported its objectives. He could not be reached for comment.

The officials said the order had been drafted by aides to Zbigniew Brzezinski, Mr. Carter's national security adviser, and had been discussed with Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and with Secretary of Defense Harold Brown on two different occasions.

While arms control experts are disturbed over the way that the decision was reached, some are also worried about what it means for the future conduct of negotiations. While it is too early to determine what the impact of the directive will be, the officials said, it could lead the United States to scale down its ambitions for the next round of the arms talks.

The directive, they added, could

4 Killed, 3 Wounded In Turkish Violence

ANKARA, Sept. 24 (AP) — Four persons were killed and three were wounded in incidents of suspected political violence today, police reported.

In Istanbul, two youths had a gun duel following a political argument. One of them died from wounds. The other youth and a child were wounded. In Malatya, in eastern Turkey, gunmen opened fire on two workers, killing one and wounding the other. Gunmen also killed a youth in Adana, in the south, and a grocery store owner in Samsun on the Black Sea coast.

also be used to scuttle existing negotiations with the Soviet Union aimed at limiting conventional arms sales and ending all nuclear testing. By giving military considerations greater weight, the specialists said, the directive may enable the Defense Department, particularly the Joint Chiefs of Staff, to block negotiations that are perceived as threatening its interests.

Other officials, including Mr. Brzezinski's deputy, David Aaron, do not oppose the thrust of the directive. But they are known to believe that its timing could harm the chances for ratifying the arms treaty. The decision, it is suggested, could lead some senators to conclude that the administration is not satisfied with its own past arms control record.

Proponents of the directive deny that it was designed to impede further progress. While conceding that it could result in more lengthy examinations of future U.S. proposals, White House aides contend that it would also lead to better, less controversial accords.

The development reflects a feeling that President Carter's earlier agenda for arms control was too ambitious. Although he inherited the strategic arms talks and the negotiations on reducing troops in Central Europe from the Nixon administration, Mr. Carter, in 1977, took some initiatives, including talks on limiting naval forces, anti-satellite systems and arms sales.

The negotiations on naval forces in the Indian Ocean have been suspended and the talks on arms sales as well as a comprehensive nuclear test ban have caused divisions within the government. The search for a new strategic arms treaty, meanwhile, turned out to be more difficult than expected.

The lack of progress in the various talks has led some observers, such as Leslie Gelb, former director of the State Department's Bureau of Politico-Military Affairs, to say that "arms control has essentially failed."



THREE SMILES — President Carter and Andrew Young, who resigned under fire last month as U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, shake hands Sunday at the White House. The occasion was the swearing in of Donald McHenry, center, as Mr. Young's replacement.

Public Data Could Aid H-Bomb Builders

By Thomas O'Toole

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (UPI) — Informed scientists say that a controversial letter describing the making of a hydrogen bomb would be useful to relatively advanced countries such as India, South Africa and Israel, if they have the will to produce such a weapon.

The letter, which had been classified by the Department of Energy because the government said it con-

tained sensitive information, probably would not be much use to less-developed countries in crossing the thermonuclear threshold, according to nuclear-weapons scientists who have seen the 18-page letter on hydrogen-weapons technology.

The letter was written by California computer programmer Charles Hansen and published last week by three newspapers. The scientists said it contains clues that would help industrialized countries solve

the complex technological problems involved in the making of a hydrogen bomb.

"It's a good road map to a hydrogen bomb," said Princeton University's Dr. Theodore Taylor, who once designed nuclear weapons at the Los Alamos laboratory in New Mexico. "If I said anything more than that about this letter, I'd be violating security."

Enormous Step

The letter is not sufficiently thorough and rich in details to help terrorists or poorly endowed nations build a hydrogen bomb, the scientists said, but it is detailed enough to assist a country like India to move from atomic to hydrogen bombs. That is an enormous step, the scientists emphasized. The explosive force of H-bombs ranges from one megaton (1 million tons of TNT equivalent) to 60 megatons.

"How to make atomic bombs has been declassified for years," Princeton's Dr. Taylor said. "Not so with hydrogen bombs. When it comes to hydrogen bombs, the less people know about how they work, the better it is."

\$1-Billion Outlay

Scientists emphasize that to produce a hydrogen bomb, a country would need a large trained force of technologists. They also would need at least \$1 billion to build power plants and factories to process the right kinds of uranium and light elements like tritium.

What worries nuclear-weapons scientists about the publication of the Hansen letter is that it contains the kinds of clues to hydrogen bomb design that a country like India would need to help it move from atomic to hydrogen status. "I've read Hansen's letter several times, and while he made some mistakes, there are things in there that are quite accurate," said Dr. George Rathjens of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who worked on the development of hydrogen bombs. "The letter gives enough important clues that it would be a big help to somebody like India."

Panel Asks Probe

U.S. Tests Found Erratic In Security-Risk Staffing

By Norman Kempster

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 — When the CIA rejects the security clearance of a prospective employee, information produced by a lie detector test is a factor three out of four times. But neither the Department of State nor the Department of Defense permits such tests of applicants, even for the most sensitive jobs.

The oversight subcommittee of the House Select Committee on Intelligence yesterday cited the contradictory rules governing the use of pre-employment polygraph (lie detector) examinations as an example of disarray in the system that controls access to the country's military and diplomatic secrets.

"Each agency goes off in its own direction," said Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis., the subcommittee's chairman. "As a result, a person may be able to get a clearance from one agency while he would be denied the same clearance by another."

CIA Rejections

The panel decided to take a new look at security-clearance procedures of government intelligence agencies after the conviction last year of a CIA clerk, William Kampiles, on charges of selling spy-satellite secrets to the Russians. Kampiles, who was sentenced to 40 years in prison, had been cleared for the highest classification of secrets.

The resulting report concludes that "the screening process cannot presently meet uniform, high standards." It recommends that the administration consider establishing a single agency to handle background checks for all applicants for jobs requiring access to classified information.

Although the same law governs access to classified material throughout the government, application of the standards vary widely, the report said. The subcommittee found that 10 percent of all applicants for CIA jobs are rejected because they cannot qualify for the government's most sensitive security clearance. But only 0.5 percent of applicants for the highest security clearance are rejected by the Department of State.

Of the CIA applicants who were denied clearance, lie-detector tests were a factor in 75 percent of the cases.

Sometimes, the study found, there are wide differences in clearance criteria within a single agency. For instance, the National Security Agency, perhaps the most sensitive agency in the government because it deals with codes and code-breaking, requires all applicants for civilian jobs to take extensive polygraph tests. But it does not require such examinations for military personnel, on the theory that submission to a lie-detector test must be a voluntary act; and military assignments are not voluntary.

However, if military personnel require aid apply to remain on the security agency's payroll as civilians, they must submit to the polygraph test. Last year, 68 individuals did that. About 20 percent of these candidates failed, and information obtained through the polygraph "contributed to the decision" in almost

China Premier to France

PARIS, Sept. 24 (AP) — Chinese Premier Huo Guofeng will visit France at the invitation of President Valéry Giscard d'Estaing from Oct. 15 to 21, it was announced today.

The CIA requires a polygraph examination for all prospective employees, the panel said, in applicants for clerical or jobs. Both military and civil employees must take the tests, are given after all other part background check have been completed.

The NSA requires lie-detector examinations of all civilian job applicants as the first step in a comprehensive background investigation. Pre-employment polygraph is generally prohibited by the Intelligence Agency, the intel arm of the Army, Navy, Air Force, and by the Department of State.

The panel called for a thorough investigation of pre-employment polygraph policy.

The clearance procedure, further complicated by a semi-annual review in two regulations, is a source of confusion, the panel said. One statute requires FBI to inform agencies making checks if an individual member of an organization advocates the violent overthrow of government. However, present Department guidelines prohibit FBI investigations of organizations except those that have actual or appear likely to violate law.

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Earl Fitzwilliam Dies; Acquire Title in Lawsuit

WENTWORTH WOODHILL, England, Sept. 24 (AP) — The Earl Fitzwilliam, 75, who was awarded the U.S. Bronze Star for World War II, was announced today.

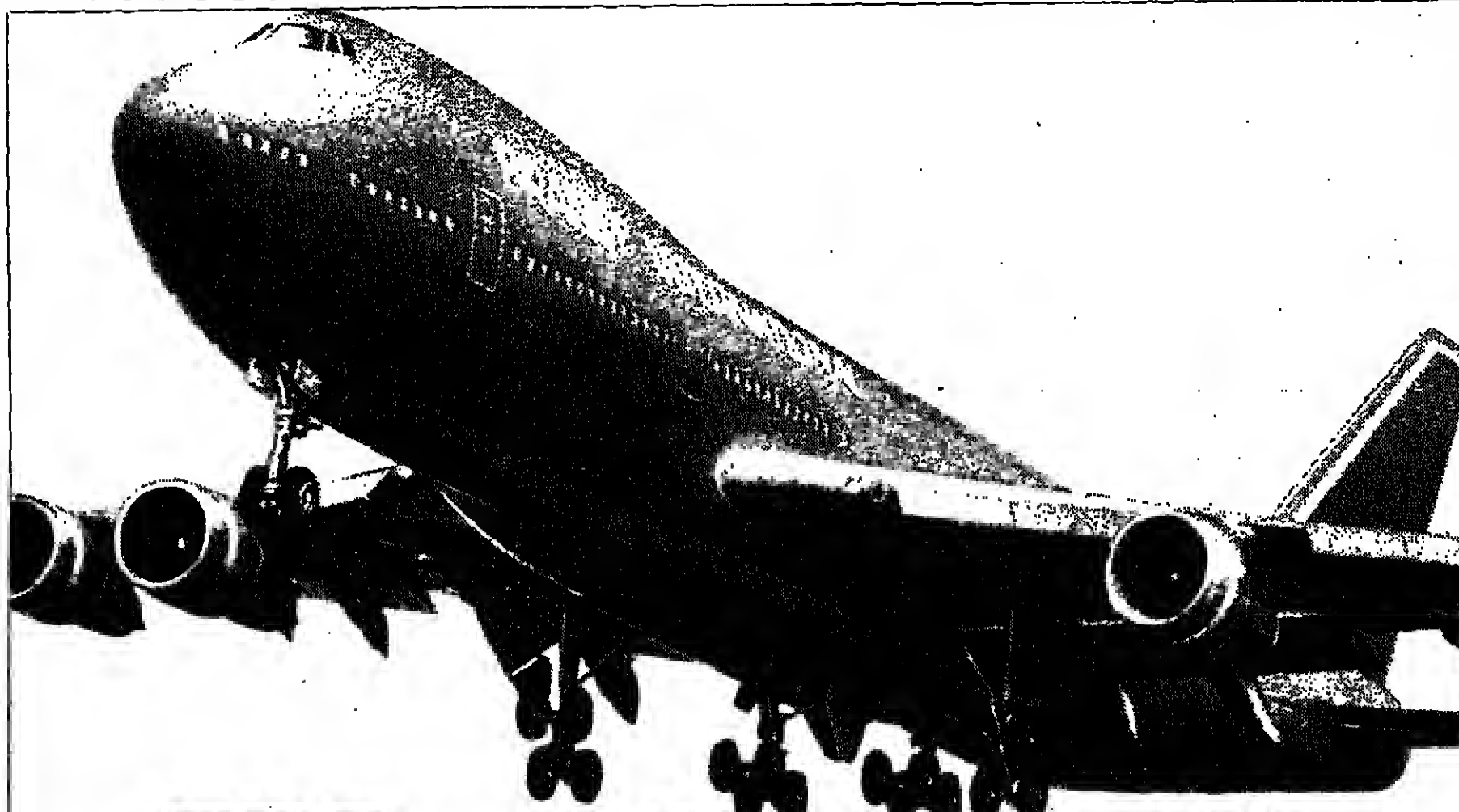
William Thomas George, 10th Fitzwilliam, died here Friday after acquired his title in 1952 lawsuit against his older brother, Toby. Their father, the 9th earl, flouted Victorian tradition married an actress. Toby was seven months before the earl and the High Court ruled it was illegitimate, awarding it to William.

Arseny Tishkov

MOSCOW, Sept. 24 (UPI) — Arseny Tishkov, 70, a retired major-general, has died after illness, Pravda reported yesterday. He was 70. Mr. Tishkov had been in various Soviet security agencies since 1935, and had been a member of the Communist Party since Pravda said.

Karel Jaros

VIENNA, Sept. 24 (AP) — Jaros, a legislator, historical close associate of deposed Czechoslovak Communist Party leader Alexander Dubcek, has died of a heart attack, Czechoslovak emigre press reported today.



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News Analysis

Light, Ultraconservatives Resist Botha on Reforms

By Caryle Murphy

ANNESBURG (WP) — A unexpected approach to Africa's troubled race relations, threatening to bring Prime Minister Pieter Botha more political than the governmental scandal-plagued first six months of administration.

Trouble is coming from the wing of Mr. Botha's ruling party and white ultraconservative groups increasingly in response to the demands of the country's black majority.

A policy that is putting Mr. Botha in a double jeopardy. Already, as here say, it has raised tensions among blacks that, if uncontrolled, could result in worse relations than before.

Botha has launched a wide relations effort to promote peace and make relations reasonable, but he has been in details of changes he makes.

He has given his minister of affairs, Piet Koozemans, for attempts to bridge the alienation between black and the government. Mr. Botha has initiated some of the country's labor laws to, for example, legal status to unions. Government officials have privately said that there is a piecemeal reform of this come.

Held Firm

Mr. Botha initiated the policy of succeeding John Vorster as minister a year ago. Mr. Botha refused to back down under pressure from the right side of this stand, some believe. Mr. Botha may see the side of the ultraconservatives as a force rather than the "house" they have been until now government supporters have registered their disapproval with Mr. Botha's policy by way from the polls in three elections, while others the ultraconservative Herenigde Nasionale Party, the two seats in Parliament but to be gaining support.

Right-wing backlash indicates a difficult, meaningful going to be in South Africa for the last 30 years have been brought up on the Party's propaganda that was the solution to the race problem.

While, some black leaders are giving Mr. Botha his new approach. But some are unenthusiastic about it because it falls short of a lasting solution to South

Africa's core political problem — the whites' resistance to black demands for majority rule.

Must Adapt

So far, Mr. Botha's campaign has centered on jolting whites out of their complacency and persuading them that they must change if they are to survive in a country where they are outnumbered by blacks five to one.

"We must adapt or die," Mr. Botha said at a recent rally. He became the first white leader to warn publicly that "revolution is not a remote possibility" in South Africa.

"It can only be averted if the government looks at the interest of all population groups and not just the whites," he added.

That was an unusual message from a man who, when he succeeded Mr. Vorster last Sept. 22, brought to the job a hawkish image as minister of defense, a post he still holds.

To emphasize his plea for more understanding between black and white, Mr. Botha recently toured the eight homelands or reserves that the government has set aside for blacks and the sullen all-black township of Soweto, where clashes

three years ago between students and police left hundreds dead.

As a test of the Botha administration's sincerity, blacks will be closely watching how it reacts to a move by Soweto's popular leader Ntando Mofokeng. The black physician recently laid a formal charge of defamation against a white mining union chief who told a newspaper that "blacks were like baboons."

The incident illustrates how Mr. Botha's new approach has put him in a vise. "If authorities prosecute the right-wing labor leader, Arrie Paulus, who already has criticized the government for dropping restrictions that kept blacks out of certain jobs, Mr. Botha may face a crescendo of criticism from the right. If Mr. Paulus is not prosecuted, blacks will wonder what Mr. Botha's talk of love and reconciliation is all about."

Key Differences

Behind Mr. Botha's reformist direction lie some key differences in perception between himself and Mr. Vorster.

"Vorster scoffed at the idea of revolution in South Africa," said a white reporter. "Even after [the dis-

turbances in] Soweto, he said it was an isolated incident."

Besides recognizing the real danger of black discontent at home, Mr. Botha has realized that, as he put it, "there is a relationship between South Africa's domestic policies and its international strategic option." He warned that wars and revolution would "put our security forces before an impossible task."

If Mr. Vorster ever realized this link, he never acted on it. Instead, he forestalled internal reform and attempted to improve South Africa's standing abroad by a detente with chosen Black African states and by a covert multimillion-dollar propaganda scandal and Mr. Vorster's downfall in disgrace.

Mr. Botha not only has steered his administration intact through that scandal, displaying more political skill than expected, but he has also shifted his government's attention from contacts abroad to improving the situation at home.

Slap at Vorster

In a slap at Mr. Vorster's pandering to the right, Mr. Botha recently said, "I will lead from the front, not from the back." He reportedly has told party insiders that he does not care if the National Party loses some seats to its ultraconservative rival party, apparently hoping to compensate for the loss by picking up support from English-speaking voters and by gaining the cooperation of some blacks in his plans for the future.

"It points to a shift away from the politics of the tribe to the politics of survival," said newly elected opposition leader Frederick van Zyl Slabbert of the Progressive Federal Party. "The National Party is no longer prepared to move ahead at the pace of the slowest Afrikaner. Its primary concern is no longer to maintain Afrikaner identity, but to make the transition necessary for survival," Mr. Slabbert said.

Political analysts note that Mr. Botha's policy resembles the process initiated by the white minority in Zimbabwe-Rhodesia, in which the white minority government sought black allies from the most conservative element of the population while resisting demands for fundamental change from the militant section.

Many blacks warn that this will not be enough.

"If he is talking seriously about stopping the revolution, then he must talk about equal citizenship and full political participation for blacks and fundamental economic and social change," said Allan Boesak, a colored (mixed race) minister and black consciousness advocate.

"He may delay the revolution by doing the things he proposes, but he won't stop it," added a black trade union organizer.

Carter Holds White House Talks With Nicaragua Junta Members

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24 (UPI) — President Carter met today with two members of Nicaragua's ruling junta, which has been offered military aid that includes the training of Sandinista guerrillas at U.S. bases in Panama.

After the 30-minute session, Mr. Carter posed with Daniel Ortega and Alfonso Robelo, two of the five-member junta now in the United States.

Although Mr. Carter and the Nicaraguans did not talk to reporters, the junta earlier indicated it would not accept the U.S. offer to train members of its army in Panama.

The offer was made in hopes of blunting antagonism from the Sandinistas, who forced former President Anastasio Somoza into exile and agreed to set up the bipartisan junta.

The training program would have been similar to training that was provided for the Nicaraguan National Guard under Gen. Somoza.

Request for Aid

Nicaragua has asked Washington for military aid and the administration wants to provide some kind of package that will keep the United States from being cut off from the leftist-backed government.

The meeting was set up "to discuss the basis for strengthening co-

operative relations between the United States and Nicaragua," a White House spokesman said.

White House envoys negotiated the settlement that ended the fighting in the nation earlier this year.

The Nicaraguan group attended a United Nations General Assembly meeting before flying to Washington as guests of the Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee on hemispheric affairs.

Italian Civil Servants To Get Pay Increases

ROME, Sept. 24 (Reuters) — Italy's 3.5 million state employees won a major victory today when the government agreed to pay them inflation-indexed pay increases four times a year.

The deal, which gives them the same status as other Italian workers, will cost the government an estimated \$5 billion in extra pay increases next year, government sources said.

The state employees, who received inflation-linked increases only twice a year in the past, will also receive a lump-sum of 250,000 lire (\$300) to compensate this year's inflation rate, currently running at 16 per cent.



HIGH TEA — Marmots take advantage of a friendly hiker and enjoy a snack near Swiss alpine resort of Saas-Fee. Tourist board says animals like carrots and peanuts.

Pope Paul VI Was Hurt in Attack In Manila in 1970, Ex-Aide Says

VATICAN CITY, Sept. 24 (UPI) — Ending nine years of silence, the secretary to the late Pope Paul VI has disclosed that the pontiff was wounded during an assassination attempt at Manila Airport in 1970.

Monsignor Pasquale Macchi, the pope's personal secretary for 15 years, said yesterday that Benjamin Mendoza Y Amor, a Bolivian, wounded Pope Paul in the chest when he lunged at him with a knife Nov. 27, 1970.

Pope Paul, then 73, was arriving in Manila on a six-city Asian tour when Mendoza, a 35-year-old self-styled surrealist painter, cried "Death to superstition!" and attacked him from a receiving line. Mendoza was disguised as a priest.

The Vatican staunchly denied reports the pontiff had been wounded. Pope Paul died of a heart attack in August of last year.

But Monsignor Macchi, speaking at commemorative services in Milan's cathedral, recalled the incident, saying: "If you ask me what the pope's most beautiful smile was, it came during the attack in Manila. After I pushed back the assailant, who had wounded Paul in the chest, fortunately not lethally, I turned to face the pope."

"I will never forget his sweet smile. And when he met my eyes, it was as if he was chastising me for the violence with which I pulled the attacker away to the police. It was as if he was enjoying a moment of inspired joy."

Monsignor Macchi did not describe the extent of the wound. Mendoza served a four-year prison sentence for attempted murder.

Monsignor Macchi also said Pope Paul often wore a painful sackcloth undergarment during religious ceremonies as a symbol of penitence. "He used it from the time of his youth," he said, "and kept it jealously hidden."

Independence Vote Drive

Simplistic Appeals Cover Complex Issues in Quebec

By Henry Giniger

GATINEAU, Quebec (NVT) — Across the Ottawa River from Canada's capital, motorists leaving or entering this Quebec bedroom suburb receive a confusing picture of the French-speaking province's political future.

On Maloney Boulevard, those driving to work in Ottawa are getting a federalist message: "Le Canada j'y suis, j'y reste" on a large billboard ("Canada, that's where I am, that's where I'll stay"). The appeal of this message from a federalist to stay in Canada would appear to be strong among those whose paychecks are from the federal government.

The same motorists returning in the evening from their federal government office get a different message on the reverse side of the billboard: "La souverainete-association c'est vivre d'egal a egal." The Parti Quebecois, now in power in Quebec, is thus explaining that its double proposal for sovereignty, together with an economic association with Canada, means living as equals.

Propaganda War

The signs now going up all over the province are the opening salvo of what is expected to be an increasingly intense propaganda war connected with a referendum on the independence question, scheduled for next spring. The simple messages cover complex and confusing positions that the opposing forces appear to be having some trouble in clarifying.

Both sides are operating on a thesis regularly confirmed by opinion polls that the population of Quebec does not want outright independence if it would mean a rupture of relations with Canada, particularly in the economic field. There is also a shared assumption that the Quebecois are not happy with things as they are. Much of the confusion arises from the fact that both sides are promising them that their relations with Canada will not be broken.

Next month, the Quebec provincial government will issue a paper setting forth its final position on sovereignty and association. It is expected to follow closely the stand adopted at a Parti Quebecois convention in June, when it was agreed that what should be submitted to voters should be a form of political sovereignty, limited by the need to maintain close ties and to share institutions with the rest of Canada within a common market.

The billboards reflect the idea that what the Parti Quebecois wants is not to break Quebec's ties with

Canada, but to rearrange them so as to gain equality between "two founding peoples, the French and the English."

Quebec Premier Rene Levesque, after a meeting of his party's deputies in Riviere du Loup, cited the slogan "d'egal a egal" (as equals) as an example of why the Parti Quebecois thinks it will win the referendum. The slogan corresponds to popular sentiment, according to the premier, since the polls have shown that 75 percent to 80 percent of Quebecois think that equality of the two peoples "ought to be an obvious thing."

The argument of the opposition forces is that there is no way of remaining closely tied to the rest of Canada except under a federal system in which Quebec is one of 10 provinces. The proposed association is rejected by those seeking a break with Canada, the opposition argument goes, so that the proposal of the Parti Quebecois is reduced to simple separation with all the economic consequences this would entail.

"This is why, if the government was really transparent, it would simply ask Quebecois, 'Are you for or against the independence of Quebec,'" Claude Ryan, leader of the Quebec Liberal Party said at a recent party meeting.

But the provincial government continues to reject the suggestion that it is separatist. It does not think that Quebecois are ready for outright independence, although some officials think they might be if the rest of Canada continues to reject Quebec's overtures for association among equals. Consequently, the specific referendum question, to be announced just before Christmas, is not expected to be as simple as Mr. Ryan would like.

Ghana Returns To Democracy

ACCRA, Ghana, Sept. 24 (Reuters) — Ghana returned to parliamentary democracy today after eight years of military rule.

LL Jerry Rawlings, the Armed Forces Revolutionary Council chairman, pledged to assist the new president, Hilla Limann, to bring about social change.

LL Rawlings, who had ruled since a coup ousted the military government of Frederick Akuffo on June 4, said in a television and radio broadcast last night: "The ship of state is reeling through turbulent waters. The rudder now passes over to a new captain and crew."

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London Music

Legrand's Movie Themes — With a Heroic Touch

By Henry Pleasants

LONDON, Sept. 24 (IHT) — "Michael Legrand's Movie Themes" was the heading on the program for last night's concert by the London Symphony Orchestra in Royal Festival Hall. What actually took place would have provided an appropriate climax for a movie with score by Michael Legrand — and with Legrand himself as the hero.

The lights dimmed, and a capacity audience settled back for the familiar extravaganza of Michael Legrand conducting, playing (piano) and singing his amiable way through a potpourri of concert excerpts from the movie scores that have won him heaven knows how

many Academy and Grammy awards and nominations over the past 15 years. Then the concert's promoter, Derek Rawden, appeared to announce that Legrand had been incapacitated by an accident, that his place as conductor would be taken by Peter Knight, but that Legrand had insisted on being present, and would preside at the piano.

Whereupon an obviously very infirm Legrand made his obviously painful way through the orchestra, assisted at each step, and came to rest, sitting bolt upright, on the piano stool. Once there, he played and played — nothing wrong between shoulders and hands — but then at the interval one could see that as he reached the bottom of a ramp he was solicitously eased into a wheelchair.

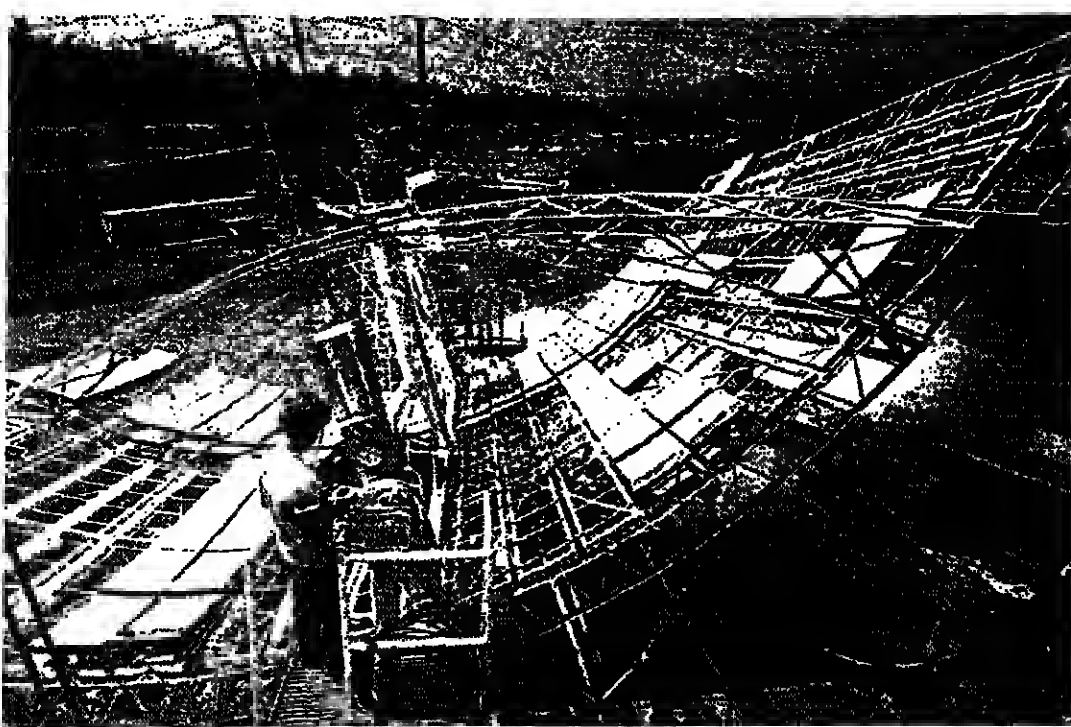
It all began, one learned, just a few days ago on a tennis court in Paris, where Legrand was relaxing between rehearsals for the recently opened stage production of his most famous opus, the opera-movie "The Umbrellas of Cherbourg." He had stretched too far for a back-hand, and collapsed, a disc colliding with the sciatic nerve.

What he accomplished as a pianist, last night, encased from the waist up in a plaster cast, was truly astonishing, not least a final set of jazz improvisations on the theme song of "The Umbrellas of Cherbourg," known in English as "I Will Wait for You."

The main course of the program was a 28-minute concert suite from "The Umbrellas of Cherbourg" (recently recorded by the LSO), which left one waiting rather too long for "I Will Wait for You."

The most substantial offering was a set of severely classical variations for two pianos and orchestra on the theme from "The Go-Between," including a fugue — or at least a fugato — that would certainly have won an approving nod from Nadia Boulanger, who once reckoned Legrand to be her "star pupil."

But perhaps Legrand should be reminded of the gent who was heard to observe: "If I ever have a heart attack on the tennis court, it will be because I was crossing the court on my way to the bar."



Sunfire, a 15-ton, 30-foot-high, solar power plant built by students from the Pasadena, Calif., area, will be donated to the residents of Pitcairn Island who pay \$300 a barrel for hard-to-get diesel fuel. The students also plan to market a smaller version for \$5,000 that can meet a household's needs.

Solar Energy

California Students Tinker With a Sunny Future

By Sandra Blakeslee

PASADENA, Calif. — A group of Pasadena students who set out to prove that the government is full of baloney about the cost of solar energy has succeeded in building a solar collector and generator that produces five kilowatts of electricity, a feat the government says is quite respectable.

"The fact they are producing electricity using this technology is an admirable first step," said Al Marriot of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, where government research on such solar collectors is centered.

While the high school and college-age students admit they did not nail down the costs of making electricity from sunlight, they say they learned a lot.

"We could never build another one like it," said Mark White, 20, one foreman of Project Sunfire. "We've learned stuff that you could never learn without actually going out and doing it," said another foreman, Neil Dipprey, also 20.

Most of the parts were scrounged and donated.

However, the young inventors said they have plans to forge a solar future. Along with two others, they founded a company last year called the Solar Dynamo Gang Inc.

The company will manufacture 2-kilowatt solar generators for use in remote places or on rooftops in nearby Los Angeles, Dipprey said. "We want to help people cut the cord to the utility," he said.

A Sun Raider, as the units are called, will sell for \$5,000 each. The group is now making special tools to mass-produce the device. Two kilowatts would be enough power for a single-family dwelling, they said.

Sunfire, at five kilowatts, will be enough to run the refrigerators on Pitcairn Island, once the hideout of mutineers who tossed Captain Bligh off the H.M.S. Bounty in 1789. The descendants of the mutineers and their Polynesian wives still live on the island and lead a frugal existence.

Tailor-Made Energy

Solar energy is tailor-made for remote islands such as Pitcairn, Dipprey said. The islanders were being forced to leave home because diesel fuel needed to run Pitcairn's main generator is too expensive. It costs \$300 a barrel.

Sunfire is a gift of love, the students said, from their generation to the past generation.

Top priority now is to finish Sunfire, Dipprey said.

The project began five years ago. Frank Broyles, a backyard inventor and solar tinkerer who works at JPL, but is not connected with solar projects there, was fed up with government estimates of solar energy.

Many of its parts once served other purposes. The bottom half of the steam engine was cannibalized from a Honda motorcycle. An old metalworking plant and a Model-T Ford were among the sources of steel for the support structure.

Scoring 30 feet high from a sturdy triangular base, Sunfire weighs about 15 tons and contains 240 mirrors ground by the students.

It works like this: At dawn the cradle with its mirrors is tilted toward the east, waiting for the sun.

Throughout the day, it turns slowly toward the west, tracking the sun. Sunlight is thus continually aimed at the steam engine.

A small motor automatically moves the cradle in concert with the sun's movement across the sky. At sunset the cradle trips a lever that causes the motor to run backward, returning the cradle during the night to its eastward tilt.

Because the sun moves in different arcs across the sky as seasons change, the whole cradle can be tipped manually to follow these motions. A few turns on a giant lever each day corrects the orientation.

The students are worried about getting Sunfire to Pitcairn. The island is off major shipping lanes. Mail and supply boats come every nine months.

"We want to ship everything we can think of down to them," Dipprey said, "so they can maintain and operate Sunfire. They're very resourceful people."

A key problem before the youngsters is how to move Sunfire to Pitcairn. They need a large helicopter, Broyles said. It would be far too dangerous to unload without it.

The group is putting out feelers to the Navy in the hope of getting support.

"We have a shopping list" of things still to get, Dipprey said. These include more stainless-steel cable, a 10-horsepower diesel engine, 25,000 pounds of cement and five large cargo boxes, among other things.

The engine will be used to run the 25-foot crane the students built themselves to help with installations at Sunfire. It can also be used by the islanders to battle down Sunfire during the 100-mile-an-hour winds that lash Pitcairn every five years or so.

It will take from two to three months to install the solar machine. The first task will be to pour the concrete. It takes a month to dry.

"We're picking up a publicity campaign right now," Dipprey said, to attract support and donations.

The students have pledged over to take government money for their solar activities, Broyles said. They want to develop their own markets.

Opera in Berlin

Women's Team Sinks In the Rhine's Water

By Paul Moor

BERLIN, Sept. 24 (IHT) — Wagner's operas have remained, with rare exceptions, the exclusive bailiwick of male stage directors, but "Das Rheingold," in a new production, has brought ladies' day to the Berlin State Opera. The program makes Ruth Berghaus responsible for the staging, Marie-Luise Strandt for the decor, and Sigrid Neef for the dramaturgy.

They have, unfortunately, not done very well. In fact, in many instances, they have fallen flat on their faces. Only the thoroughly professional conducting of Oskar Siutner and the performances of a cast of expert opera singers, right down to the smallest role, saved the evening from degenerating into a disaster.

The problem of convincingly re-

alizing the beginning of this at the bottom of the Rhine, daunted many a director at first. Berghaus and Strandt, the water's surface by five wide strips of diaphanous fabric, to the floor but also singers' heads, from wing to creating an effect reminiscent of a water view from beneath.

Klisch for the Gods

They had a less felicitous with the "gods' abode, for Strandt, the program indicated her idea from the 1822 painting "Sea of Ice" by Caspar Friedrich. An enormous pile of downy cushions, hanging over a gorgeously colored, pi-postcard photo of Bavaria's chawastein castle in its alpine setting — does nothing to help.

As for the costumes, I can't ever having seen oglier on a woman's robe has ratty bits attached to it which he must trapped under the sink. In an of caprice, Berghaus and Strandt have made Loge's left side his right black, and for some unprehensible reason they have made him an epileptic, when he from right to left, his appearance evokes Veronica Lake. Stage ment repeatedly occurs utterly out motivation. When Al counters his curse upon love, he counts his brandishes over his what looks 'unappealingly' I dead cat.

Bravos for Buchner

Only the musical aspects saved the evening for the East Berlin company. Even so, the production of the Berlin State Opera in the pit at times played disingly out of tune on opening night. The loudest bravos went to I hard Buchner as Loge, and he served them doubly for having veiled over the witless pervers imposed upon him by Berghaus and Strandt. Siegfried Vogel, as Wotan's equal, sang his taxing music with the that comes only of exceptional nique, and even in the highest r he never showed signs of st Peter Oleas as Alberich and Trekel-Burkhardt as Fricka stood out in the unusually st cast.

The same team responsible "Das Rheingold" intends to give the entire "Ring" cycle during next two years. One awaits 'ghaus' and Strandt's conception the further operas in the tetra with edgy apprehension.

Arts Agenda

PARIS — The Abbe Armand, a 19th-century French writer, will mark his 20th anniversary with a play, "The Abbe Armand," at the Theatre de la Ville from Sept. 25 to Oct. 1. The play is a comedy of manners, written by Armand, and directed by Jean-Louis Bally. The play is a comedy of manners, written by Armand, and directed by Jean-Louis Bally.

PARIS — The opening program of a festival of classical music for young people, organized by the French Ministry of Culture, will be held at the Grand Theatre de la Ville from Sept. 25 to Oct. 1. The festival is a celebration of the 20th anniversary of the French Ministry of Culture, and is organized by the French Ministry of Culture.

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Led Zeppelin Disc Balloons to Top

By Michael Zwerin

PARIS, Sept. 24 (IHT) — The new Led Zeppelin album, "In Through the Out Door" (Svan Song 59410), issued this month sailed to No. 1 on the U.S., British and Australian charts in a week without a stop along the way.

This rare event is the talk of the industry. Some say it proves that quality still sells and that quality is what customers are starving for. Others proclaim the death of disco, saying that there is no personality in disco, that disco is made by machines and that customers will pounce on anything danceable made by people.

Formed in 1968, Led Zeppelin was eclipsed by the Beatles, Stones and Hendrix in the beginning. But guitarist-lead Jimmy Page could get maximum zip out of three electrified musicians plus a singer. They knew how to shape rock's textures and time, if not its implications. Commercially, Led Zeppelin broke through during a 1973 U.S. tour, when it smashed several Beatles box-office records. The old competition was dropping off, and there was not much new.

Hardest Part

Since that time, the hardest part of reviewing rock records has generally been listening to them. So much of it is thoughtless. The time tends to be beneath basic, harmony limited to three chords or less, and the banality of the lyrics cannot be exaggerated. This line from this album is an example: "Oh I need

Correction

PARIS (IHT) — A story in the International Herald Tribune editions of Sept. 20 about the new monthly publication Sheet, gave an incorrect date for a UNICEF charity gala event in Paris in connection with the launching of the publication. The correct date for the gala is Oct. 14.

your love... repeated over and over.

Led Zeppelin is particularly big to the "purple rock" market. But communication with children does not necessarily involve condescension and there are hints that the people who made this record could treat them as adults if they wanted. Polyphony and polyrhythms show up behind the a priori simplicity, with some nice synthesizer effects. Interesting board-fade details at the end of certain tracks suggest adult minds.

There's a jolly country feeling on "Hot Dog," which Robert Plant sings with a balance of parody and respect: "I took her love at seven, a little late these days it seems."

The vocal on "Carouselambra" is mixed without regard for verbal audibility. Voices mingle with the surrounding full-throttle electric freight-train roar, and the effect would be exciting if it did not go on so long.

Radio City Number

The group's blues feeling can be convincing, and the music sometimes swings. All of which adds up to meager fare compared to the rich veins rock explored in the '60s. No longer can we expect ambiguity, a grand design. We are now grateful to hear music made by people.

"Yes I love her. I guess I love her."

The current wave of solo piano improvisation was set in motion by Keith Jarrett, whose "Keioa Concert" has sold half a million albums and is still selling. Marianne Solal, Gordon Beck, Earl Hines and most other top pianists have since made solo albums.

Armando Ambrosio (Chic) Corea

is a complete pianist capable of taining interest alone. His new album "Delphi I" (Polydor) is dedicated to L. Ron Hubbard, Scientology leader. Corea has been a Scientologist for many years.

The word that first comes to mind describing "Delphi I" is "peaceful." Classical fans are looking for sort of updated, peaceful 19th-century romanticism. Jarrett and Corea then: They do not get their own contemporary or they constitute another "cr over," like the more common between jazz and rock.

In Corea's case, the most obvious influence is Erik Satie.

Corea improvises as Satie might have listened to Art Tatum Duke Ellington, Miles Davis — Erik Satie. Each side was recon from beginning to end without interruption; the transitions are as graceful as a result. The loudest sensitive, dynamics understated. Is more ordered music than Jarrett's, less hair-raising. It also seems to be less improvised and is consequently less exciting. There is a sense of George Russell's "Lyd Chromatic Concept of Tonal Organization." It is almost exclusively consonant.

It is peaceful, reassuring music with roots and exploration at the same time. Particularly on side B in an offering to Tatum called "Stride Time." Corea exploits the elements without milking them.

Church Talks Begin

PARIS, Sept. 24 (IHT) — Women of the Church of the American Church in Paris next month will start its 10th annual series of lectures to help English-speaking newcomers to the Paris area. Lectures will be held at the church Oct. 2, 9, 16 and 23, covering subjects as "Culture Shock," "French and You" and "Tackling the Red Tape."

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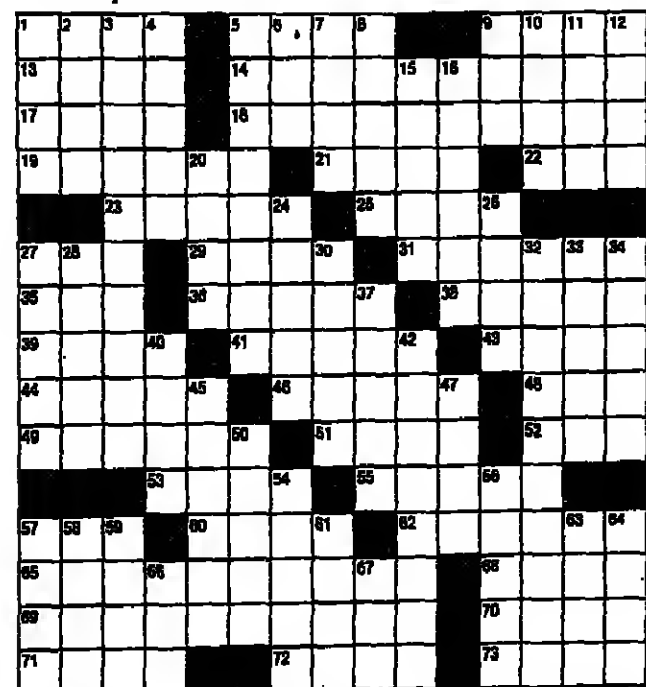
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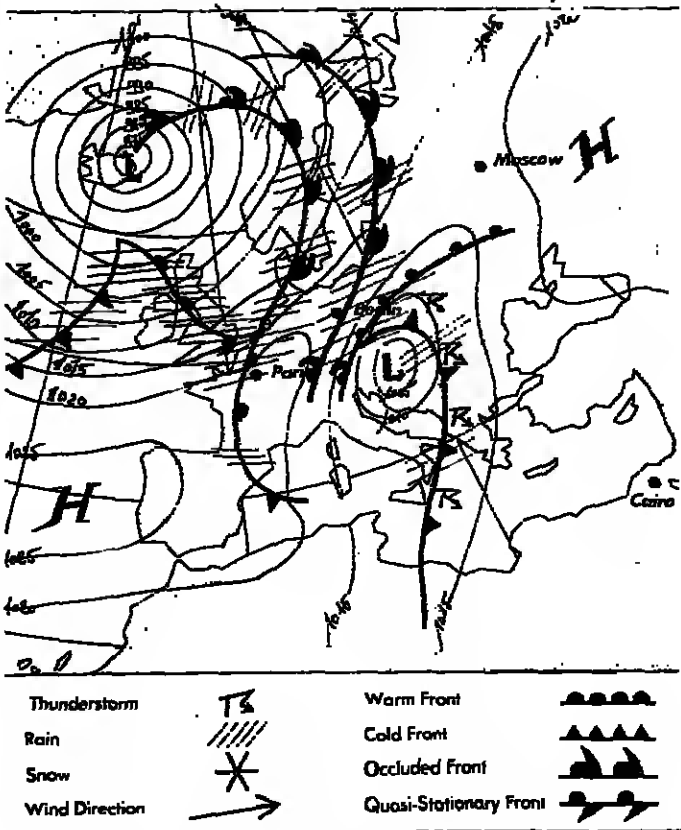
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LONDON, Sept. 24 (Reuters) — Two bowler-hatted thieves posing as London businessmen today walked out of a jewelry shop with £750,000 (\$1.5 million) worth of gems.

The two men, with upper-class accents and wearing pin-striped suits, knocked at the locked door of the shop to London's Hyde Park Hotel and were admitted by jeweler John Anderson and his wife.

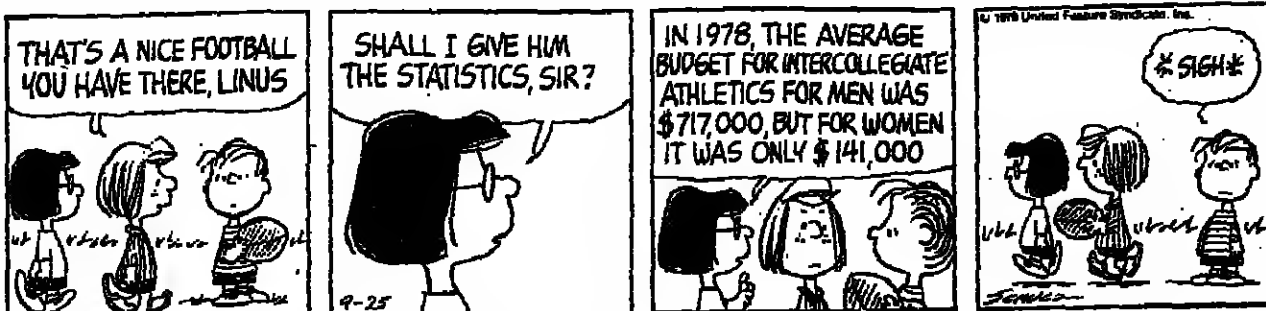
"They took these men for potential clients," a detective inspector said.

The thieves then produced hand guns and tied up Mr. and Mrs. Anderson before scooping up about 200 items, including rings, sapphire bracelets and diamonds, from a safe into their brief cases.

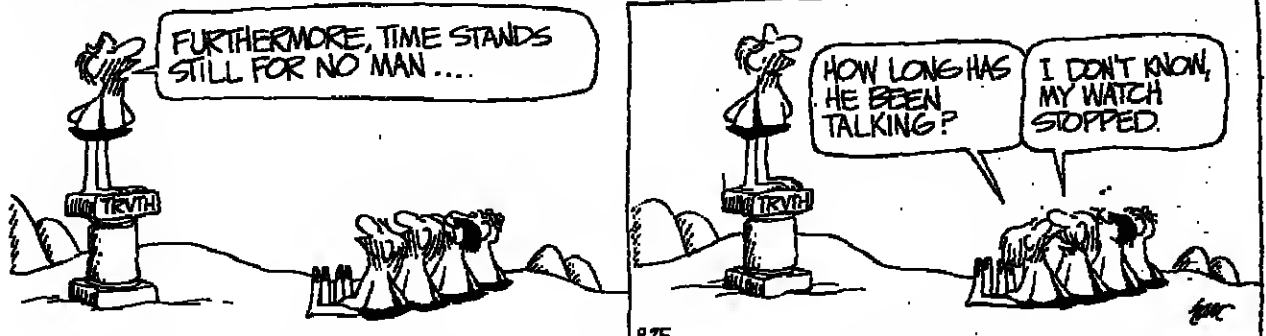
Despite their cunning, the thieves were anything but cool.

"They were shaking with fear," Mr. Anderson said.

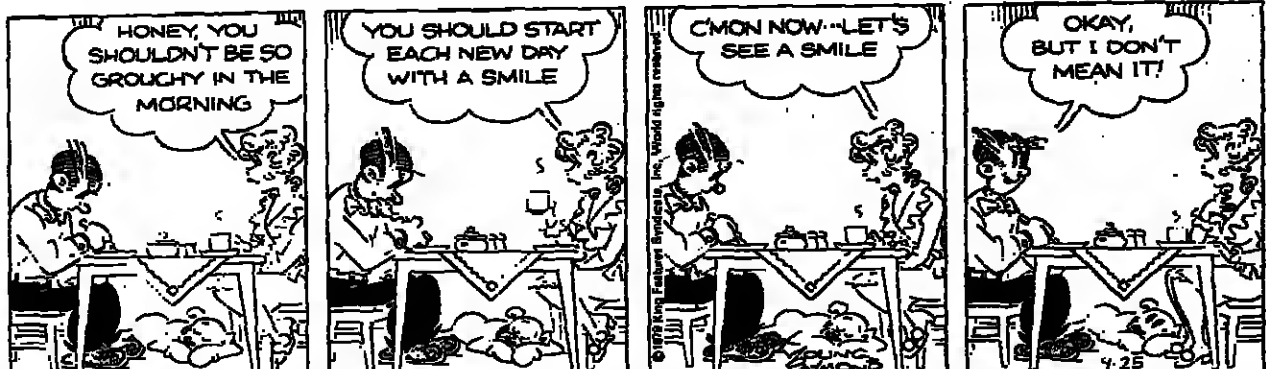
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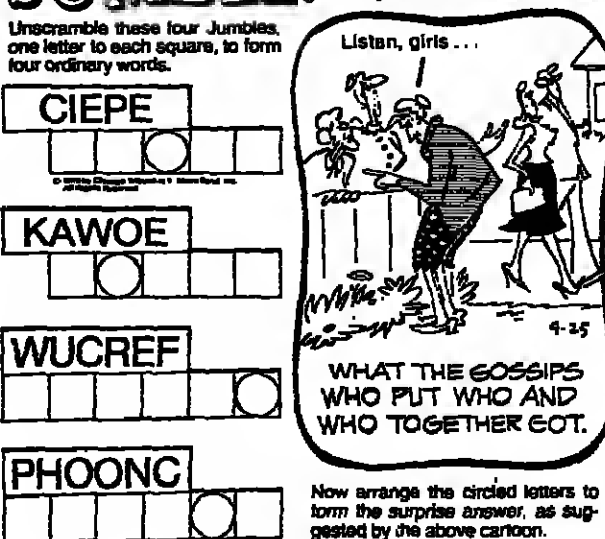
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Yesterday's Jumbles: THICK APRON ORPHAN FINISH

Answer: What resulted when a couple who were engaged in a long-distance romance exchanged pictures by mail—A PHOTO FINISH

"Registered as a newspaper at the Post Office"

"Printed in Great Britain"

BOOKS

PROPHETS WITHOUT HONOR

A Background to Freud, Kafka, Einstein and Their World

By Frederic Grunfeld, Holt, Rinehart & Winston

Illustrated, 347 pp. \$15

Reviewed by John Leonard

THE "world" of Freud, Kafka and Einstein was Austria and Germany before, during and after World War I, until the Nazis decided that Viennese and Weimar culture was a bad idea and burned the culture and gassed many of the people who had made that culture possible. Kafka, of course, was born in Prague, but he wrote in German. Kafka, in fact, almost alone among the dozens of brilliant Jews portrayed in Frederic Grunfeld's fascinating "collective biography," "Prophets Without Honor," worried about writing in German, as if he were "someone writing his last will and testament," just before he hangs himself. The others thought they were citizens of more than a language.

Who were the others in what Grunfeld calls "the most exciting epoch in German intellectual history?" Where to begin? Besides the big three, we can mention Mendelssohn, Meyerbeer, Offenbach, Mahler and Schoenberg. Or Max Reinhardt, Max Ophüls, Otto Klemperer, Bruno Walter, Peter Lorre, Josef von Sternberg, Ernst Lubitsch, Billy Wilder and Fritz Lang. Or Hugo von Hofmannsthal, Else Lasker-Schüler and Franz Boas. Or Rosa Luxemburg, Kurt Eisner, Gustav Landauer, Walter Rathenau, Max Horkheimer, Herbert Marcuse and Ernst Cassirer.

And we have only begun. Arthur Schnitzler, Ferdinand Bruckner, Karl Kraus, Walter Hasenclever, Kurt Tucholsky, Franz Werfel, Nelly Sachs, Kurt Weill, Kurt Mammann, Hermann Broch, John von Neumann and Bruno Bettelheim are also to be mentioned. They were all Jews, whether or not for the convenience of the state or in the prospect of an academic appointment or as the result of an "assimilationist" family upbringing they converted to Protestantism or Roman Catholicism, or just didn't think about it. "I am nothing but literature and can and want to be nothing else," said Kafka.

Grunfeld — a former editor of Horizon magazine and the author of books on Berlin, the social history of Nazism and, astonishingly, the guitar — is not trying to be profound. That is, he doesn't want to compete with his subjects; he wants us to listen to them. His several generalizations do not obtrude. His Jews, like the creative gentiles who also made that culture possible, rebelled against a monolithic German education. They had the advantage, if it can be ultimately characterized as such, of a built-in sense of "otherness," helped along by traumatic experiences of anti-Semitism; they were prepared to dispute received wisdom, to thrive on contention, to be alone on frontiers of thought.

"A book," said Kafka, "must be an act for the frozen sea." Or an idea. "Prophets Without Honor" is a peculiar and moving achievement because it puts faces and feet on ideas. A pile of graphical sketches and perfect dots adds up to an elegy for nations of intelligentsia who be that if Heine, after all a Jew, written the greatest romantic in the German language, his dream would somehow be a "the ancient wheel of the sun swastika." They would learn Broch: finally learned, the "prehensible and unutterable" word beyond speech.

We are introduced to Doehlin, the sadly neglected artist who read books "the way a 'reads' wood." We visit Ernst in a prison where swallows are allowed to nest, because their ing might comfort the prisoners learn how despicably the Sw their border behaved toward must-Jewish refugees. We advised — and one of the odd sure of this book is, in its ditions, Grunfeld's curiosity — famous writers tend to die in zeland: Georg Buchner, R. Maria Rilke, James Joyce, Th. Mann, Erich Maria Remis Stefan George, Hermann I. Robert Musil.

Freud psychoanalyzed Mah a single day, the Freud who ha parently no use for music. The opera with which he was acquia was the Oedipal "Don Giova As a child, Freud's family gaw the only private room in the for his studies. A sister of his musical talent played the piano door; the sound so distracted that he insisted that the pian removed. "No other piano was allowed in Freud's household the rest of his life."

On the other Freudian t when he finally got permissio leave Vienna in June, 1938, the stapo forced him to sign a ce cate, declaring that he had well-tyrased by the authorities did so, adding a sentence o own, "I can heartily recommen Gestapo to anyone."

Jump, on the third hand, is q on "Aryan" versus "Jewish" chology.

Like to Erich Muehsam of rigidities of Communist-author a thinking: "Bismarckism" template: Kafka as a clerk in the ofices of the Workers Acciden suance Institute for the King of Bohemia; in Prague, Einste the age of 25 producing his work as a clerk in the patent c at Bern, and Schoenberg as a derpaid clerk in a small Vi bank. The wheel of the sun aimed at their necks.

Some of those who knew were no final solutions, su Hitler's. Were they to return, fred Polja thought not, bec "Those who had accidentally caped being killed had to their place with those who had dentally failed to kill them."

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BRIDGE

By Alan Trus

IN almost all sports and recrea tions players compete against their relative equals: experts compete against experts, and beginners against beginners. But bridge is to some extent an exception. In many tournament events anyone can compete, and a player who has just learned the game can find himself playing a few deals against a world champion. This, also, happens when players are thrown together by circumstances.

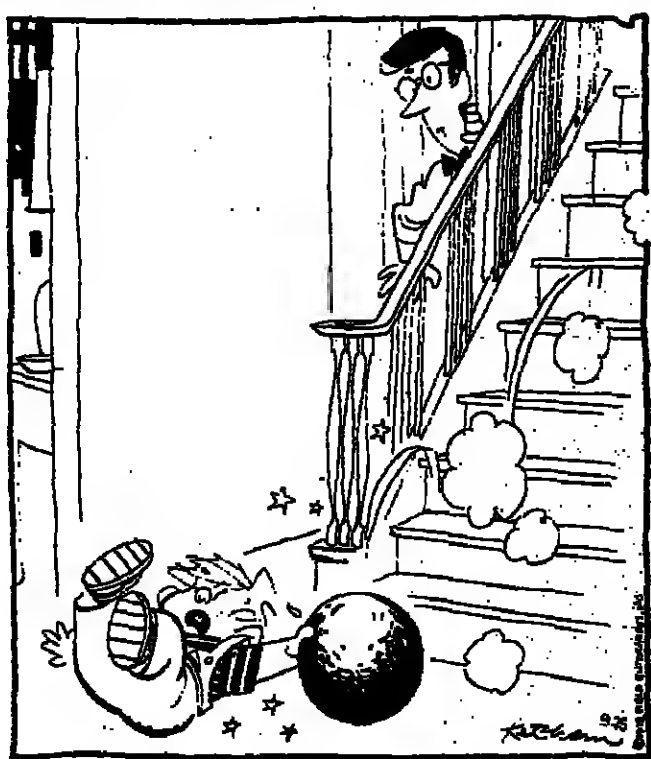
On the diagrammed deal, three players were quite inexperienced. North-South are due for bidding problems after an opening bid from East. South is likely to drive to game, but no game can be made against best defense. Four spades can be defeated by repeated heart leads, and five clubs fails provided East is careful to hold up his spade ace, so that the jack does not become an entry to the dummy. A good score for North-South would be to reach a club part-score and make 10 tricks. In practice they did better than that, in a quite remarkable way.

South doubled the opening bid of one heart, and attempted to show a powerful hand on the next round by bidding two hearts. Unfortunately

South played his last diamond and threw a club from the dummy. There was now no way to pre the heart jack from scoring eighth trick for the declarer. B funny thing happened.

East had the right of heart: poised to overtrump the dur and it fell out of his hand before could retrieve it. He decided he had more than enough of this de-rol so he banged down the de-hearts. South won and was to trump a club in the dum. When South led the last spade I had to ruff and give him the jac hearts. Making three.

DENNIS THE MENACE



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